

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1648
PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 03495.0301-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Ali AMARA <i>et al.</i> |) | |
| |) | Group Art Unit: 1648 |
| Application No.: 10/700,507 |) | |
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| Filed: November 5, 2003 |) | Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen |
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| For: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING DC- |) | |
| SIGN BLOCKERS AND METHODS |) | Confirmation No.: 6288 |
| OF USING DC-SIGN BLOCKERS |) | |
| FOR PREVENTING OR TREATING |) | Mail Stop AF |
| DISEASES OF A MAMMAL, |) | |
| INCLUDING VIRAL INFECTIONS |) | |

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY AFTER FINAL

Applicant now replies to the Advisory Action mailed February 8, 2008 ("Advisory Action"). Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, starting at page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper, starting at page 7.